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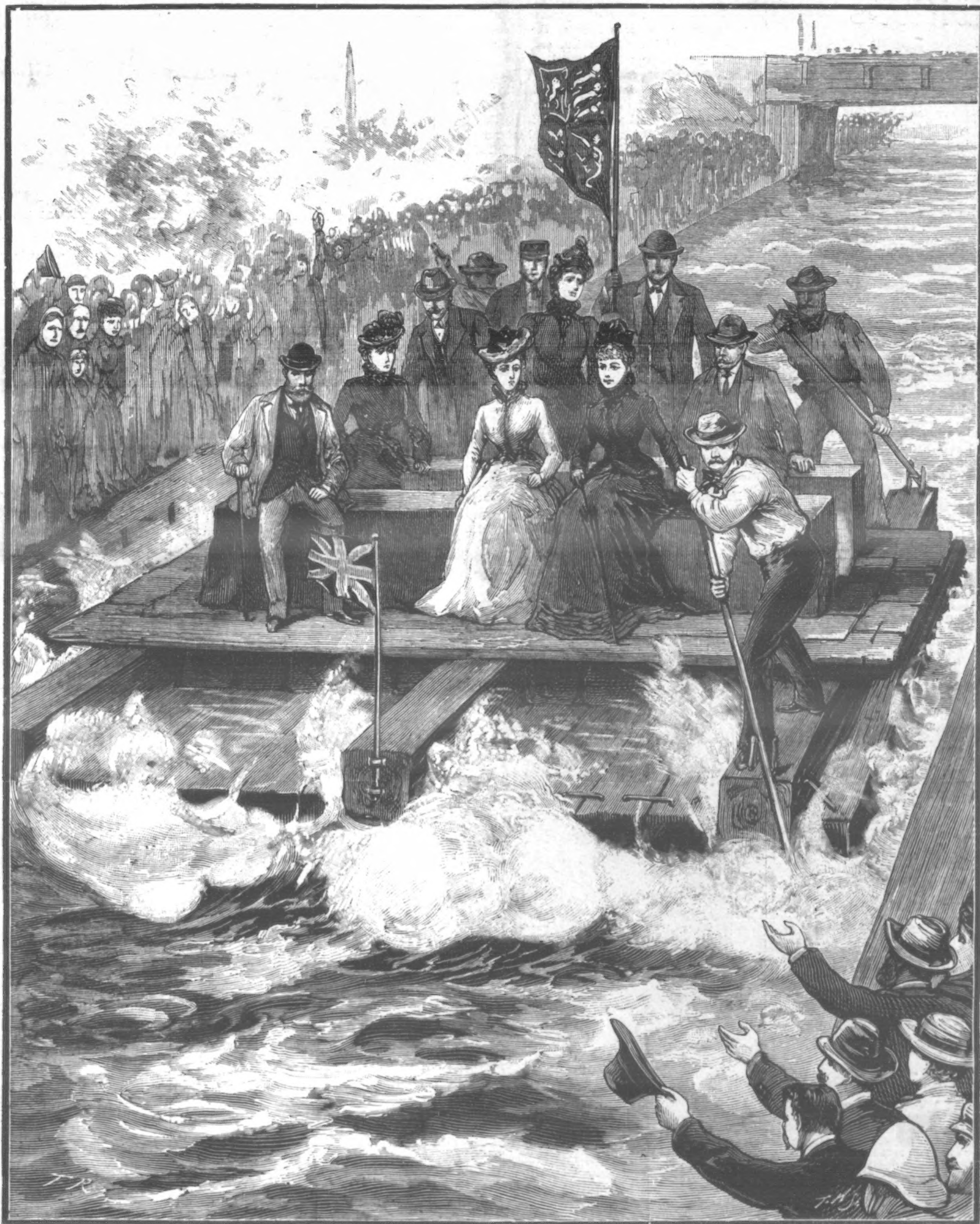
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Talk of London.

"BOBS" AT MANCHESTER.

BULLER'S FRANK SPEECH.

BRODRICK'S MANIFESTO.

LORD ROBERTS'S VISIT TO MANCHESTER on Oct. 9 for the purpose of opening the Royal Military Tournament was the occasion for a great demonstration in his honour. Intense eagerness was manifested by the people to get a look at the hero of Afghanistan and South Africa, and he was greeted everywhere with extraordinary enthusiasm. The streets from the station to Hulme Barracks, where the tournament was held, were gaily decorated, and the large crowds of people cheered themselves hoarse. After inspecting the Church Lads' Brigade and the local veterans of the wars of the last five decades, he presented war medals to the returned Yeomen and Volunteers of the active-service companies belonging to the Manchester District, and finally attended a reception given in his honour in the Municipal Buildings. The Commander-in-Chief brought his visit to a close on the following day by

Unveiling the Fine Bronze Statue

erected in memory of her late Majesty Queen Victoria by the Manchester Jubilee Commemoration Fund. Although only disclosed to the gaze of the public on Oct. 10, the statue is intended to commemorate the completion of the sixtieth year of the late Queen's reign. Mr. Onslow Ford, R.A., was the sculptor selected to execute the work. For nearly three years this distinguished artist was engaged upon his task. Special facilities were afforded by her late Majesty to Mr. Ford. She gave him numerous sittings, and also lent him the Royal veil and other articles now depicted in bronze in order that the statue might be

A Faithful and Lifelike Representation of the illustrious original. The inscription was submitted to Her Majesty, and, it is said, greatly touched her. It is from Shakspeare's "Henry IV."—

"Let Me but Bear Your Love,
I'll Bear Your Cares."

Lord Roberts in a brief speech said—

"I cannot help thinking that but for the intense anxiety caused by the war in South

return from South Africa, although only twelve short months had passed, I was startled at the change that had taken place.

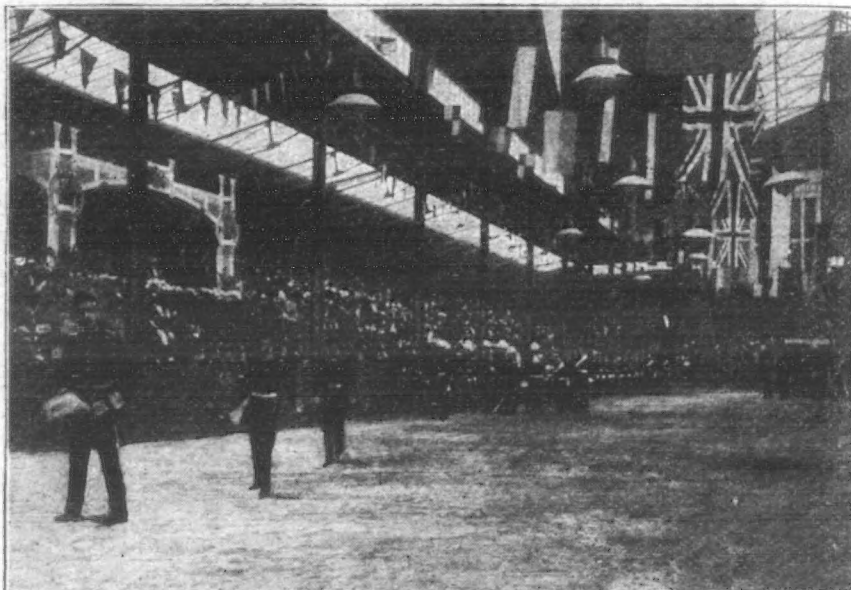
"Those were indeed twelve months of heavy anxiety to the whole Empire; but more especially to our beloved Sovereign, who ever took the deepest interest in her troops taking part in the war; and we see in so many different ways how keenly she felt for all their sufferings and privations.

"During my last visit to Osborne, the Queen spoke of little else than matters connected with

month; that he had information to the effect that the beleaguered force could not be fed beyond the end of the year, and that the Boers were poisoning their water-supply with dead horses; and that, under these circumstances, in order

To Give Sir George White the Comfort and Consolation

of a superior official opinion, recognising what might be the inevitable, he "suggested that it would be necessary to abandon, to surrender, the garrison, what he should do when he surrendered, and how he should do it." He



LORD ROBERTS PRESENTING THE WAR MEDALS TO THE YEOMANRY IN THE ARENA AT THE ROYAL MILITARY TOURNAMENT, MANCHESTER, ON OCTOBER 9.

the Army and South Africa. She expressed her profound admiration for the gallantry displayed by all engaged in that war, and when discussing how necessary it was for us to maintain an Army strong enough to meet the ever-increasing demands of her Empire, she showed how thoroughly she appreciated the great difficulties that had to be surmounted."

Sir Redvers Buller,

at a luncheon to the service section of the King's Royal Rifles at the Queen's Hall, Westminster, on Oct. 10, went with considerable detail into the criticisms that had been levelled against him. The first point he touched upon was the assertion put forward in several journals that he was not the proper officer to command at Aldershot. After alluding to the condemnations passed upon him in various quarters, Sir Redvers continued: "I assert that there is

Nobody at This Moment in England

junior to me who is as fit as I am" to be in command of the First Army Corps; and he challenged anyone to name the man whom they considered better qualified than he. The General then alluded to the heliogram he was reported

called upon his critics to produce their version of the message, and promised that he would then publish his official copy.

Mr. Brodrick

made a lucid statement last week of what has been, is being, and can be done to end the war in South Africa. This manifesto to the nation, as it practically is, takes the form of a letter to Sir Howard Vincent. The War Secretary generally confirms the assurances previously made by authority that

Lord Kitchener is Absolutely Unfettered

by any kind of restriction, and that, far from being stinted of the full measure of his requirements, he has been supplied with more of the necessities of war than he asked for. Further, Mr. Brodrick hints that the War Office is quite able to meet any fresh demands should such be made.

200,000 Men

are maintained at the seat of war, and more than

100,000 Men

are kept in training at home. There are at present in the field

Sixty-Nine Mobile Columns,

perfectly equipped, and nearly ten thousand remounts are delivered monthly at South African ports. What could the heart of the patriotic Briton want more than this?

Professor Virchow's Eightieth Birthday.

Sincere and far-reaching were the festivities that signalled the eightieth birthday of the "Grand Old Man of Medicine." Lord Lister and Sir Felix Semon were amongst the eminent men who went to Berlin to join in the interesting function. A decade since prominent scientists gathered to compliment the Professor and Helmholtz on their seventieth birthdays. Helmholtz has left us, but Virchow is with us still, unbroken both in body and mind. Professor von Bergmann, on behalf of the Berlin medics, in an eloquent essay, said: "There is no well-educated German who does not see in Rudolf Virchow the illustrious representative of German natural philosophy, and, to the glory of our people be it said, there are no Germans who do not feel that it is a national honour to be allowed to call such a hero of intellectual and scientific life their own." Virchow has pointed out new paths, not only in medicine, but also in anthropology, and has brought about further developments in both sciences. Since he published his criticisms of Professor Rokitansky's doctrines in 1844, medicine has become a natural science, and the physician a natural philosopher.

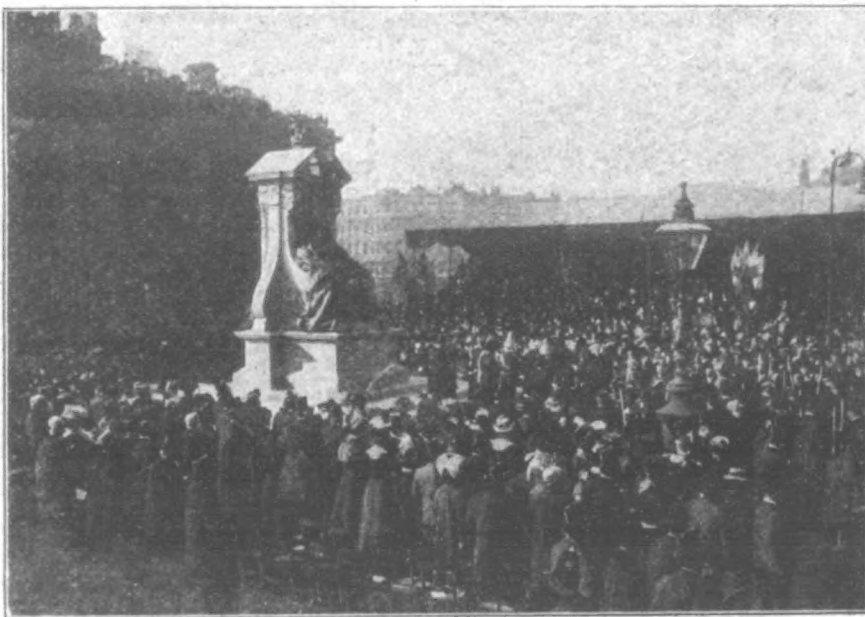
The Old Prince of Wales's Theatre.

the little playhouse in Tottenham Street, once so well known under the Bancroft management, was on Monday again offered for sale by auction.

The Drury Lane Pantomime.

A change in the form of pantomime will be made this Christmas by Mr. Arthur Collins. Our pantomimes used always to be played "right away," but the present managing

Don't Look Old.—With advancing years greyness increases. Stop this with LOCKYER'S SULPHUR HAIR RESTORER, which darkens to the former colour and preserves the appearance. LOCKYER'S large Bottles every-where.—[ADVT.]



LORD ROBERTS UNVEILING THE STATUE OF QUEEN VICTORIA AT MANCHESTER ON OCTOBER 10.

Africa and by the deep sorrow which Her Majesty felt for the loss of so many of her devoted soldiers and sailors, and of her own grandson, she might still have been with us.

"When I took my leave of the gracious lady in December 1899, Her Majesty seemed to me then as well as I remember to have seen her for many years; but when I next saw her, on my

to have sent to Ladysmith, ordering Sir George White to capitulate, explaining that one of his despatches provided for such contingency.

The Real Facts,

he said, were that after the failure at Colenso on Dec. 15 he recognised that he would not be in a condition to attempt an advance for another

READ THE "SKETCH." THE BRIGHTEST AND BEST 6d. WEEKLY.

HOW THE WORLD WAGS.

THE KING AND QUEEN. Instead of moving the Court to London to-day, have decided to extend their stay at Balmoral slightly, and will follow the example of the late Queen in avoiding Sunday travelling. This will postpone their departure till Monday, and Their Majesties are likely to arrive in London on the afternoon or evening of the following day. It is understood that one of the reasons why the King and Queen, like Queen Victoria, object to Sunday travelling is that it entails work and responsibility on the part of many railway officials who ordinarily obtain some little relaxation on that day from their duties.

The Royal Tour.—At Ottawa the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York experienced quite a new sensation, embarking on lumber-rafts and rushing down the timber-slides. At the foot Indians were waiting to convey the party down the St. Lawrence in birch-bark canoes. At Rockcliffe an exhibition of log-rolling was given, and a race took place between Indian war-canoes.

Newfoundland is preparing a most loyal welcome to the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. The Royal tourists will be met at St. John's by the cod and seal fishing-fleet, which numbers about 600 steam and sailing vessels manned by many thousand fishermen. The fifty recruits for the Royal Navy who were enrolled last winter and sent for a six months' cruise in His Majesty's ship *Charybdis*, will be accorded an honourable place in this unique demonstration, and it is certain that the Royal visit will greatly assist the enrolling of naval Reservists. Newfoundland is the oldest British colony, and

of the late Ameer were generally double-edged, and it speaks much for the good sense of Habibullah that he never accepted them in any other spirit than his father wished. With any of his father's schemes he never interfered, but showed himself always a most dutiful son.

The Future of Afghanistan.—The death of a potentate in Asia is the opportunity for international dispute and wrangling. Questions of foreign policy which for years have been held in abeyance—either by the direct wish of the people or by the diplomatic attitude of some responsible Minister—are brought once again to the dissecting-room, and in this manner the internal happiness and peace of many States is hopelessly lost. It is the political axiom of most parties to play a waiting game, and our modern civilisation will probably never outgrow this principle. The death of the Ameer reopens



SKETCH OF THE CHURCH AFTER THE FIRE

INTERIOR, EAST END SHEWING EFFECT OF FIRE

THE VESTRY WHERE THE FIRE ORIGINATED



ST. DUNSTAN'S, STEPNEY, DESTROYED BY FIRE LAST SATURDAY.

it is appropriate that the memorable tour of the Heir Apparent should terminate at so historic a point. It was discovered in 1497 by John Cabot with an English expedition. The inhabitants are chiefly located on the coastline of the shore and bays, and the principal portion are engaged in cod-fishing in the summer, and seal-fishing in the winter and spring. The interior of the island is virtually in a natural state, but 633 miles of railway have opened up large tracts of valuable land.

The New Ameer.—Habibullah succeeds Abdur Rahman as Ruler of Afghanistan. The late Ameer's chief wife was his cousin, Bibi Halima, but by her there were no children. Habibullah, his eldest son, by one of his inferior wives, was born at Samarcand thirty years ago, another son, Nasrullah Khan, being born in 1874. Both sons have been taught English by a Parsee tutor, and were carefully trained in arms and statecraft by their father. The younger Prince visited England in 1896, and was the object of considerable attention. He did not, however, attain the object of his visit, which was to secure for the Ameer the right to send a diplomatic agent to London, and to negotiate directly with the British Government instead of through the Viceroy of India. In 1897 Abdur Rahman gave his eldest son control over the State Treasury and Exchequer—a mark of

extraordinary confidence—and at the same time he constituted him "the Supreme Court of Appeal." The favours

all those questions of foreign relationship with Russia and India, and already there is some debate concerning what is to be regarded as neutral territory. Afghanistan, situated as it is, is of immense value to us so long as we occupy India, and the position of Great Britain must be made a safe one for the sake of our Indian Empire. It means something to us if the northern province of that decidedly wealthy country is left unguarded, if it is only to be looked upon as impregnable because of its mountain fastnesses, once inhabited by mountain tribes who were opposed to British rule in India.

From the Russian Posts on the Afghan frontier it is reported that extensive preparations of a warlike nature are going on, and that troops are being concentrated. This would certainly mean that preparations were being directed against Russia. The present Ameer is a man who is learning all that he can from Great Britain. He understands army reform, is deeply imbued with the highest military ideals, and is a political factor with whom in future not only Russia, but Britain as well, will have to reckon, for he is determined to preserve his independence at all costs. The vital question is, will Great Britain consent to a division of Afghanistan? It is indeed fortunate for those who are interested deeply in questions of foreign policy that such a capable man as Lord Curzon is at the head of affairs. Much depends upon the attitude of these two great Powers, Russia and England, in relation to the treatment of Central Asia.

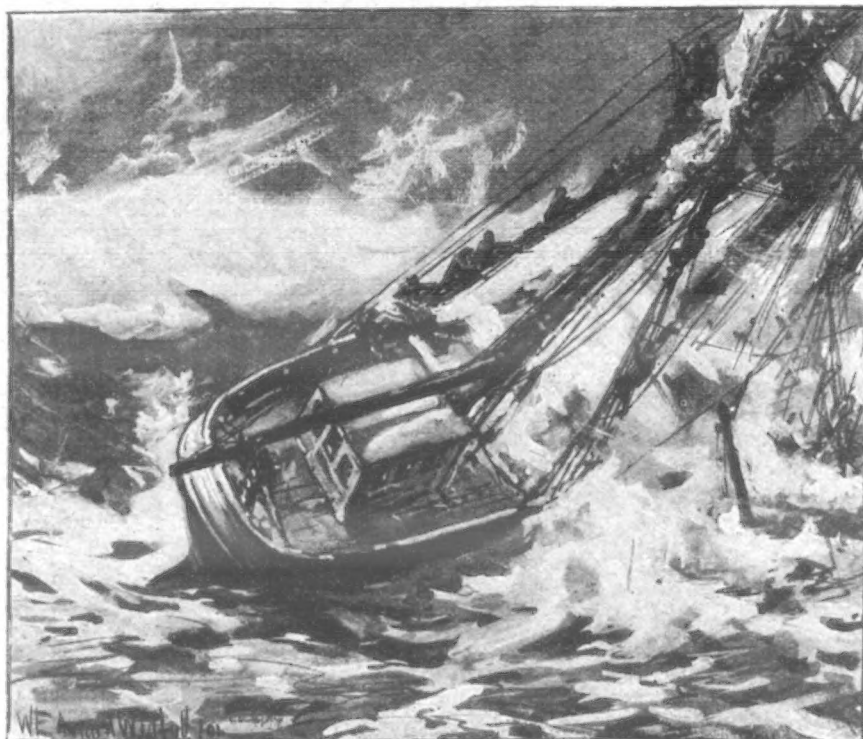
Stepney Church Fire.—A fire broke out last Saturday at the old Stepney Church of St. Dunstan's, and despite the efforts of the Fire Brigade, who were promptly on the scene, the well-known building was partially destroyed. There is no theory put forward as to the cause of the outbreak. It is only after an inspection that the full extent of the damage is realised. All that remains of the beautiful chancel roof, which dates back to the fifteenth century, is a number of black rafters. The altar has been completely destroyed, while a great deal of the very fine stained glass of the windows has been broken. A few twisted and melted pipes and large cakes of cold lead are the only indications of the former existence of an organ. The choir-stalls are chipped and charred, and, although the majority of the pews have not been touched by the fire, they have been considerably damaged by water. The Harvest Thanksgiving decorations of flowers, fruit, and grain have been reduced to a pitiful state. The few that remain intact are hanging in a faded condition,



grimy with charcoal and smoke. A number of manuscripts in the vestry have been saved. It appears that the first church on the present site was All Saints', and that was rebuilt by St. Dunstan, Bishop of London, in 960. Since that period it has been restored at various times. It may be remembered that the church was renovated two years ago, when £6500 was expended on it. The rector, the Rev. A. E. Dalton, has decided to hold services at Redcoat School Hall for the present.

Storm-Tossed Whaler.—Despatches received at Queenstown from New Bedford (Mass.) contain particulars of the arrival there in a dismantled and otherwise crippled condition of the whaling barque *Kathleen*. Her crew of

provisions. The fore and maintopmast yards were carried away, and hung down with the rigging over the sides in a tangled mass, and every moment threatened to make holes in the vessel. To relieve the ship some of the crew, at the risk of their lives, volunteered to go aloft and cut away the topmasts, and after hours of hard work succeeded in doing so. This did not, however, right the vessel, and as the hurricane was at its height, and the seas had swept everything off the decks, the crew were obliged to climb up the mizzen-mast and lash themselves there to await the abatement of the storm. For three days and nights they dared not venture on deck, and suffered much from exposure, cold, and want of food and drink. One of the crew, named Frank Stanton,



THE WHALING BARQUE "KATHLEEN" IN A STORM: PLUCKY BEHAVIOUR OF THE CREW.

thirty were in an exhausted state, having been three days lashed to the mizzen-mast, without food or water, while the vessel was on her beam ends in a hurricane and half full of water. Captain Smith, in describing the crew's terrible experiences, stated that the barque was cruising for whales south-east of Barbadoes on Sept. 6, 7, and 8, when she was struck by a squall, which cast her on her beam ends. Mighty seas pounded the ship, filled her hold, flooded the cabins fore and aft, and destroyed the

more daring than his mates, attempted to get forward where some provisions were stored, but was struck by a sea and washed overboard. He managed, however, to cling to a broken yard which was floating by the ship's side, and after being in the water for an hour was rescued by his shipmates during a lull in the storm. When the storm had at length abated the crew trimmed up the ship as best they could under the circumstances, and eventually succeeded in sailing her into Bedford on Sept. 29, in a battered state.

Major-General Hildyard to Command in South Australia.—General satisfaction has been expressed at the selection of Major-General Hildyard to the command of the Australian forces. The career of this gallant officer has been peculiarly varied. Like Sir Evelyn Wood and several of our best-known military men, he first began to serve "dear old England" as a sailor. Five years were spent in the Royal Navy, and then he joined the Northumberland Fusiliers—the Fighting Fifth. Afterwards he became attached to a Highland regiment, and was next transferred to the Somerset Light Infantry. In the Egyptian Expedition he won no little distinction, being present at Kassassin and Tel-el-Kebir. Equally successful as Chief of the Staff College, many of our younger soldiers owe him gratitude for the interest he took in their studies. At the start of the South African War he was commanding an infantry brigade at Aldershot, but was promptly sent out to fill a similar position. His conscientious work at Eastcourt will not readily be forgotten. Major-General Hildyard comes of an ancient stock, dating as far back as Robbin of Roddissdale, who fought for the Lancastrians in the Wars of the Roses. Australia's new commander is fifty-four years of age, and in 1871 married a daughter of the late Admiral Prevost.

Australian Commonwealth Seal and Flag. Since the momentous inauguration of the Commonwealth of Australia at the commencement of this year, there has naturally been a demand for an appropriate flag. An



NEW AMEER



A BREAK IN THE ARDUOUS DUTIES OF THE DAY: LUNCHEON.

MR. BRICE, THE JUDGE, IN THE CENTRE.

"P.I.P." SNAP-SHOTS AT THE SOUTH-ESSEX COURSING MEETING AT RAINHAM ON OCTOBER 9.



HOME CIRCUIT AND NAP, WHO DIVIDED THE SOUTH-ESSEX DERBY.



MAJ-GEN HILDYARD

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interesting competition was started by the *Review of Reviews* for Australia, £75 being offered for the best design, the Premier of the six States constituting the Commonwealth having consented to act as judges. At the end of four months 20,000 designs had been received from all parts of Australia, from Canada, South Africa, and as far north as the Shetland Isles. Then the Federal Government decided to call for competitive designs, and agreed to take over the *Review of Reviews* designs already received as the nucleus of its competition. An additional 13,000 flags were sent in, and the judges unanimously chose as the flag of Australia the British ensign with a Southern Cross on the flag to denote Australia, and a six-pointed star on the "fourth staff" to indicate the States of the recently formed Commonwealth. In connection with the competition for a suitable design for a flag, designs were requisitioned for a Commonwealth seal. Here also the contest was exceptionally keen. After careful consideration a most appropriate one was selected. Conspicuous on the obverse are the words, "Advance, Australia!" The artistic merit of the design on both reverse and obverse sides of the seal is considered in good taste.

Fists versus Rifle.—The South African mail brings particulars of an exciting incident that occurred with Lord Methuen's force in the Western Transvaal a few weeks ago, of which Captain H. C. B. Phillips, commanding the 13th (Shropshire) Company Imperial Yeomanry, the ex-English amateur heavy-weight champion boxer, was the hero. Captain Phillips, it seems, was going his rounds visiting his sentries on the outskirts of the camp when, in an isolated position, he was suddenly confronted by three Boers, two of whom were armed. They made him prisoner and at once proceeded to divest him in the usual fashion of his personal property, uniform, etc. They had got possession of pretty well everything except his spurs, which they ordered him to remove. He declined, at the same time telling his captors that if they wanted them they must take them themselves, whereupon two stooped down to unfasten the straps, Captain Phillips being covered with the rifle of the third man. No sooner, however, had the two men got into the kneeling position than Captain Phillips, with two well-directed blows, bowled them both over, and seizing the Mauser of one, which had been incautiously laid on the ground, killed the Boer who was covering him with a tremendous blow on the side of the head with the butt-end of the rifle, giving him his quietus, not, however, before he had fired, the bullet passing uncomfortably near to the gallant officer's head. Captain Phillips then turned the tables by securing the two Boers and marching them into camp.

The Mental Scientists.—From time to time the law and police courts supply British breakfast-tables with a sensation, and the latest of these is the case of Mr. and



FISTS VERSUS RIFLE: HOW CAPTAIN PHILLIPS TURNED THE TABLES BY SECURING TWO BOERS AND MARCHING THEM INTO CAMP.

entitled "The Theocratic and Unity League," of which Horos is accused of being the head, assisted by his wife as high-priestess. A story of strange ritual and weird customs has been unfolded by the Crown Prosecutor, which would read like a wild burlesque were it not for the serious side that may be attached to it. Mr. and Mrs. Horos are a pair of very extraordinary people, but whether so extraordinarily bad as the prosecution alleges or not, remains to be proved.

The Boer War.—Since the publication of Mr. Brodrick's letter to Sir Howard Vincent, which completely

at the front, at any rate, are doing all in their power to overcome the stubborn resistance of the enemy, and thus bring the War to an end in their own way. The execution of Commandant Lotter, who was found guilty of high treason and murder, and the sentences passed on members of his command, show that Lord Kitchener is determined to put down rebellion and outrage with a firm hand, and that the sterner measures we were promised are being put into operation. The Commander-in-Chief had a welcome piece of intelligence for us to begin the week with—namely, the capture of the troublesome and presumptuous Commandant Scheepers by General French's columns.

Scheepers was one of the most active participants in the invasion of Cape Colony, led by Kritzinger last year to prepare the way for Dr. Wet, and the daring raider succeeded in causing us at home, if not Lord Kitchener, a good deal of uneasiness, for he penetrated further south than any other Boer leader, and actually led his men almost within sight of the sea at Mossel Bay. The expulsion of Kritzinger severely crippled him, and the capture of Lotter's commando left him completely isolated. Colonel Crabbe and Colonel Atherton prevented him from retracing his steps and rejoining the enemy in the north, and successive batterings at the hands of the British broke up his small force and compelled him to seek refuge in flight. He seems to have been taken seriously ill, and this, doubtless, rendered him unable to make good his escape.

Major-General Sir William Gatacre presented war-medals last Monday to a number of Yeomanry and Volunteers at Bury St. Edmunds. He said that we wanted as many Yeomanry as we could get; we already had a good many in South Africa, but many more would be required in order to make good the casualties, and he had no doubt that they would be forthcoming. Speaking of recruiting for the Suffolk Regiment, Sir William stated that the county did well last year—over 770 men coming forward as recruits—while this year it was doing even better.

An Efficient Amateur Fire Brigade.—The *Illustrated London News* and *Sketch*, Ltd., must be congratulated on the smart Volunteer Fire Brigade possessed by them, which has been brought to its high state of proficiency by Firemen H. Silver and F. Voice, of the same firm, under the supervision of the Manager, Mr. E. S. Jarvis. Not only are they smart at drill, but have proved themselves equally as smart when called upon in earnest. This photograph was taken by Mr. Abbott, a member of the firm.



COMMANDANT SCHEEPERS, The daring Boer Raider, captured by General French's Columns.



THE DEFENDANTS IN AN EXTRAORDINARY CASE AT THE MARYLEBONE POLICE COURT.

Mrs. Horos (otherwise Jackson), who are up at present before Mr. Curtis Bennett at Marylebone upon certain disgraceful charges, which will entail heavy punishment unless refuted by the prisoners. The case being *sub judice*, it is impossible and would be improper to comment upon it here in any way which might be prejudicial to justice or Mr. and Mrs. Horos, but the portraits of these strange and remarkable people will interest all who have studied the case and its extraordinary details. The evidence reads like the unfolding of a sensational romance, plastered with details impossible in twentieth-century London, and out of what was originally a simple charge of fraud have arisen many additional issues, such as the alleged procurement of young girls under the Criminal Law Amendment Act. The feelings of these girls are said to have been worked upon in a most masterly fashion by means of a new religion

disposed of the report that friction had occurred between Lord Kitchener and the War Office, a more hopeful spirit has prevailed regarding affairs at the Seat of War, and there is less evidence of the feeling of depression and irritation, not unmingled with anxiety, which the recent mishaps naturally produced. Our patience has been sorely tried by this wearisome War, which has now entered upon its third year and looks like continuing indefinitely, and small wonder if the public, sick to death as they are of the struggle, should experience occasional fits of despondency when matters do not appear to be going as well as they ought. However, this feeling of dissatisfaction—one can hardly call it dejection—is fortunately only temporary, and these attacks of the "blues," as one might term them, soon give place to a more creditable spirit of confidence when better news arrives and it is shown that our brave fellows

HIS RUPTURE CURED

Engine-driver on the MIDLAND RAILWAY Restored by the WONDERFUL RICE METHOD.

One of the well-known engine-drivers on the Midland Railway, having been in their employ a long time, relates some very interesting facts about how he cured himself of a bad rupture by the Rice Method. His name is George Jordan, and is in good standing, so what he says for the benefit of other railroad men who are ruptured can be relied upon as truthful and of value.



27, Bishops'one Road, Gloucester. July 21, 1901.

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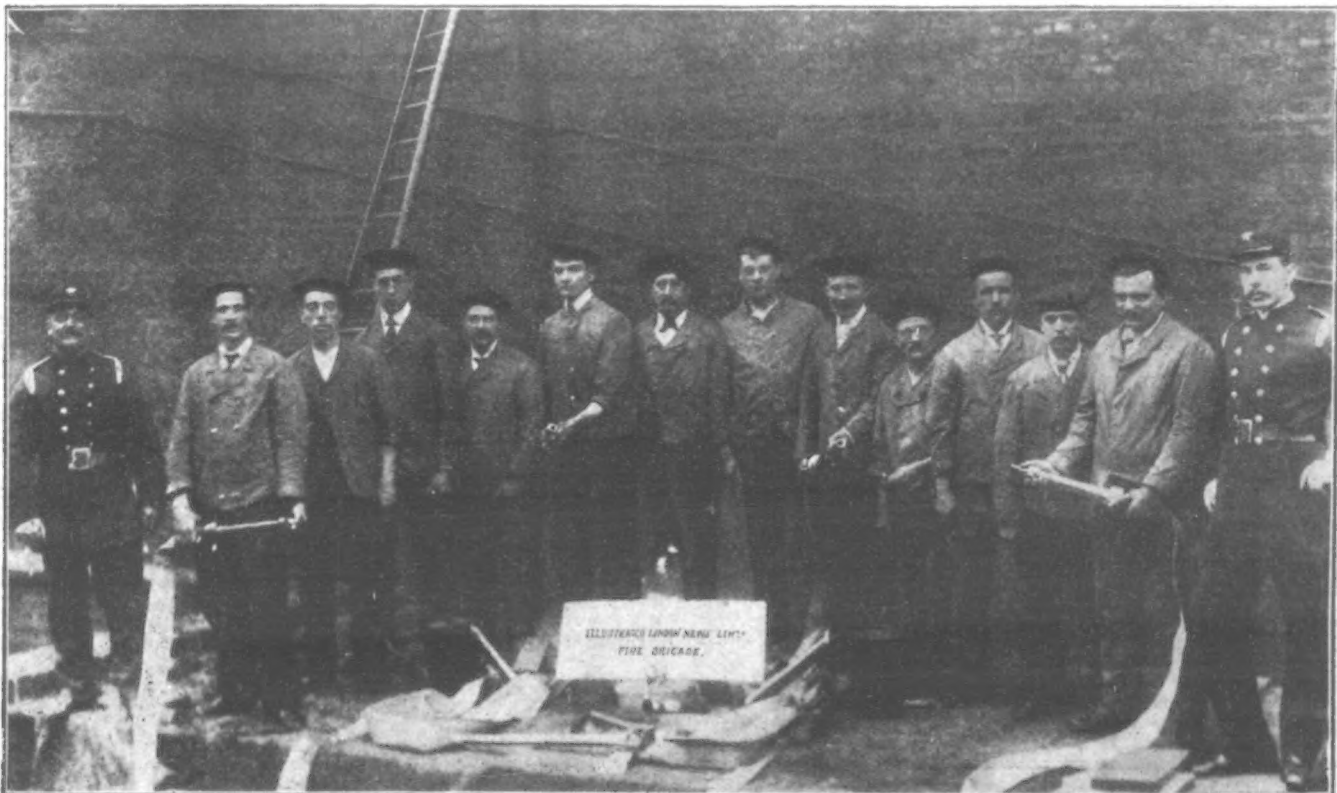
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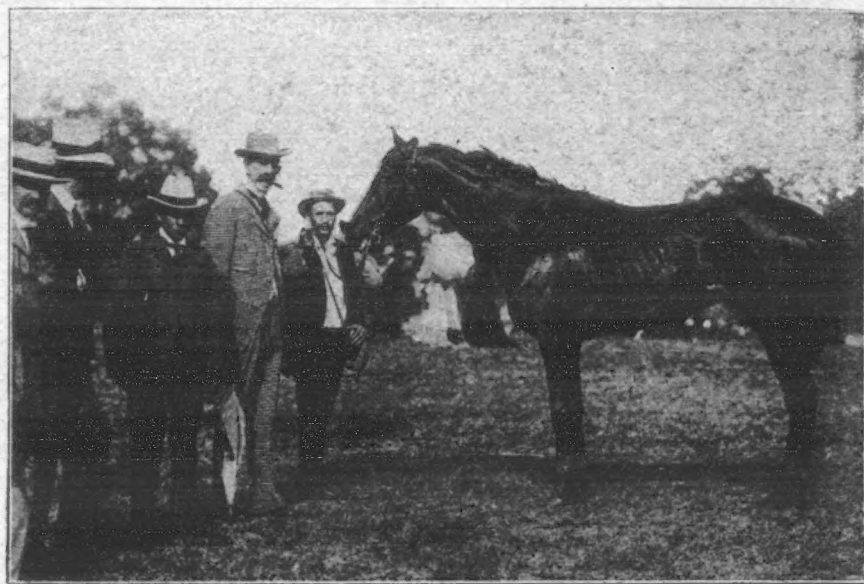
THE WORLD OF PASTIME.

VISITS TO AMERICA.

It cannot be said that the efforts of British cricketers, athletes, and yachtsmen who have recently played their parts in America have been crowned with success. Of the America Cup Sir Thomas Lipton may well say, "Thou wert so near and yet so far," and one can well understand his desire for another trial of his yacht next year. The University athletes, it now appears, did better than was supposed, and with a little more luck might even have turned the tables in their match against Yale and Harvard. Mr. Busanquet's team of cricketers apparently disappointed the Philadelphians—if we are to believe anything from the newspaper reports—though they won the first of the test matches. Altogether, the results obtained have not been such as will admit of a crow, no matter how softly done. There is one pleasant reflection, however, and that is that the Britisher has known how to take his defeat with a good grace, and to accord to his opponents all the credit that is their due.

London Schools Swimming Association.

It is always pleasing to note the good work that is being so unostentatiously done by the L.S.S.A. Through their efforts, instruction in swimming and life-saving methods is given to the children of some 500 schools, and since the formation of this body, 4000 youthful swimmers (both sexes) have received certificates for swimming 100 yards. Last week the annual competitive meeting was held at the Westminster Baths, and while the items included various championships, nearly all the other events were for cups presented by those who view swimming as one of the things to be encouraged. It might have been thought that the School Board, as they seem so anxious to teach everything, would not have stood by and seen the work which should have been promoted by them undertaken by the teachers voluntarily. It is not only that a useful branch of education has been left out of the curriculum, but that a means of fostering a love of cleanliness has not been taken advantage of. However, much good in this direction has been done by the L.S.S.A.,



MR. T. KINCAID'S EPSOM LAD,
WINNER OF THE KEMPTON PARK STAKES ON OCTOBER 11.

See "The Racing World."

Stoke, and Sheffield Wednesday gained a memorable victory over Liverpool on the latter's ground. Small Heath and Aston Villa attracted 25,000 persons to the Coventry Road

Rovers. Not the least important feature of Saturday's matches was the success of Manchester City. They had lost each of the matches previously played, but from the form they showed against Bolton Wanderers one would not have thought so. They scored one goal only, but this was due to the fine goalkeeping of Sutcliffe. As in the First, so in the

Second Division.

the race among the top-sawyers continues keen. West Bromwich Albion and Preston North End each proved victorious, and Lincoln City escaped defeat, as was the case also with Woolwich Arsenal, Glossop, and Newton Heath. Matches in the Southern League were not particularly numerous. West Ham United were at home to Luton, and did not send them away rejoicing. This was West Ham's seventh match and sixth success, no loss having been suffered. Nor has Tottenham Hotspur yet experienced defeat in Southern League matches, their victory over New Brompton being their fourth in five matches played. The meeting of Portsmouth and Southampton drew a crowd of 15,000 to the ground of the first-named. For the first time this season Southampton had the assistance of C. B. Fry, who proved to be in fine form. The first round of London Charity Cup matches was got through. By eight goals to none the Old Carthusians beat Ilford, holders of the London Senior Cup. The Casuals (holders, Charity Cup) beat London Caledonians by nine goals to one, and Clapton beat Old Westminsters by five goals to none. Matters were much more equal between Shepherd's Bush and Old Malvernians, the former winning by one goal to none. In the second round, fixed for Nov. 23, the Casuals play Shepherd's Bush, and Old Carthusians and Clapton meet.

Rugby Union.

It was a most creditable and successful display that the Old Merchant Taylors gave on Saturday against Blackheath, and there would appear to be little doubt of the great excellence of the former team, who beat their formidable rivals in very creditable fashion. London Scottish gave a very different account of themselves from that of the previous week, beating Kensington by 40 points to none. Nearly as one-sided was the match between Richmond and St. Thomas's Hospital, which the former won by 37 points to none. Against the Harlequins, capital form was shown by the R.I.E. College at Cooper's Hill. Their forward division worked uncommonly well, and to them chiefly the victory by 19 points to none was due. Gloucester and Newport met, but neither was able to score in a match chiefly notable for hard forward work. Leicester gave proof of their superiority over Coventry; Cardiff beat Devonport Albion; and Swansea were too good for Llanelli.

Another Win for Tottenham Hotspur.

The Cup holders were on Monday, at Tottenham, pitted against West Ham United, and, as expected, much interest was shown in the match, a tie in the Western League. Tottenham Hotspur showed superiority in the matter of attack, but their rivals' defence was exceedingly good. In the result the "Spurs" won by two goals to one.

Billiard Association Tournament.

Thurston's new saloon in Leicester Square was the scene last week of some very interesting play in connection with a £100 tournament promoted by the Billiard Association. H. W. Stevenson (scratch) and W. J. Peall (receives 100) each won six games and so tied for first prize. They agreed to play off on Monday last, and the match attracted more people than the saloon would hold. For some time there appeared every probability of Peall winning easily, but Stevenson gave a splendid display in a break of 241, and so drew within 51 of his rival's score. Stevenson presently got in front, and though Peall, as the outcome of a period of moderate breaks on the part of both, again stood first, the scratch man ran out a winner by 105 points, his concluding break (unfinished) amounting to 104. Score: Stevenson, 600; Peall, 385.

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and still more might be done with a greater amount of support from the public, who are hereby referred to Mr. Herbert Bradbury, hon. secretary, for information as to how they may best render assistance.

Policemen and Swimming.

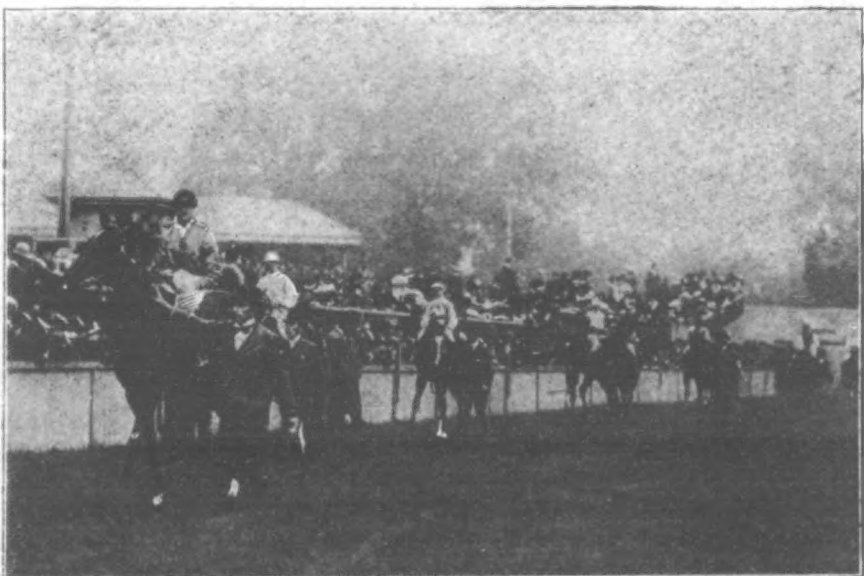
It has been said that a policeman's life is not a happy one, but we know that in a vast number of instances this could easily be disproved. If it were entirely true, then some things would not be what they are. The policeman of to-day goes in for all sorts of recreation which point to a good deal of happiness, and among them swimming. Especially is this so in connection with the City of London Police, a member of which fine force holds the championship of the Police of the United Kingdom. The City of London men held their entertainment at the St. Saviour's Baths, and proficiency was shown by a large number of these custodians of law and order, who seemed to enter into races and tugs-of-war with great zest and pleasure. The nearest approach to unhappiness was that feeling of disappointment which unsuccessful ones cannot help entertaining, though it may be only for a second.

League Football.

There were some circumstances in connection with Saturday's matches in the First Division of an unusual character. All eighteen clubs were engaged, and in each of the nine matches a definite result was obtained—that is to say, no draw has to be recorded. Then, again, matches won by the visitors were not outnumbered by those lost. Beaton by Notts Forest, who scored four goals to none, Everton have fallen away from their high estate—the fall has been from first to fourth place. Sunderland, who beat Sheffield United, stand at the top of the list with five matches won and but one lost out of seven played. Wolverhampton Wanderers were opposed by Notts County, and added to their successes, as also did Derby County, whose victims were Newcastle United. Bury scored over

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ground, and the result of an exciting match was a victory for the latter, who scored their two goals in the second half of the game. Grimsby Town beat Blackburn



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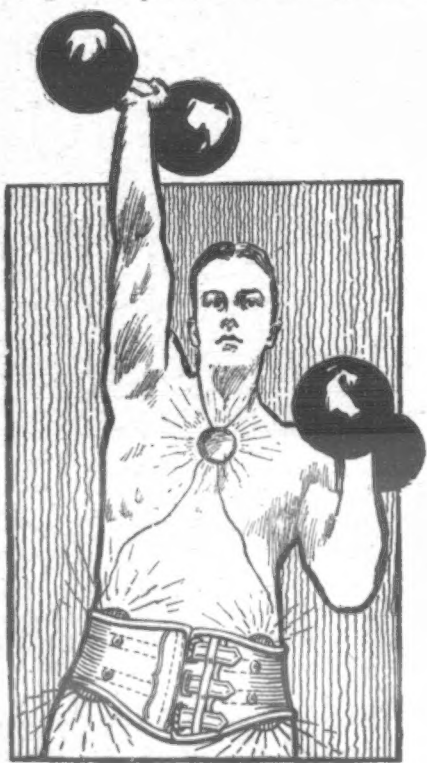
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Of course, people so afflicted are debarred from the natural enjoyment of eating, and, what is worse, they are Physically and Nervously weakened by reason of an insufficient absorption of digested food into the Blood. Only digested and absorbed food is available for conversion into Health, Strength, and constitutional Vigour. All other food is wasted, and worse than wasted, because it decomposes and afflicts you with unpleasant gaseous symptoms.

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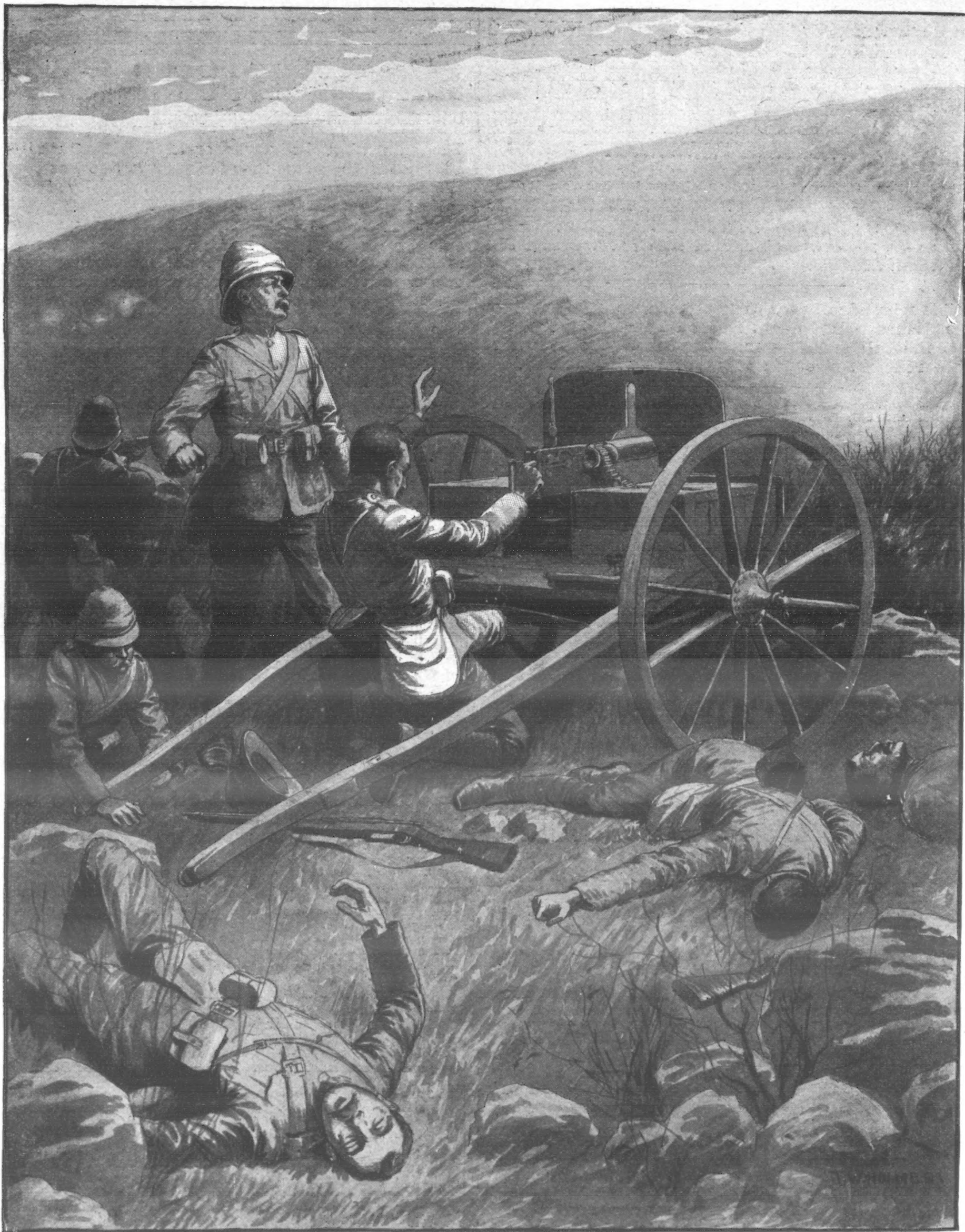
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Derbys and the Yeomanry made a similar rush for the river by the drift. Both charges were a complete success, for the enemy were sent fleeing for their lives to the hills west of the river. At the start of the fight it was impossible to use artillery, owing to the hotness of the rifle-fire, but when the struggle grew general the guns were most effective. The Derbys' Maxim was served by nine men in a most fearless style until all were either killed or wounded, each obeying orders unflinchingly. Instances of heroism occurred everywhere. Colonel Kekewich, when hit, got up and stood by his guns, directing and encouraging his men. The wholly successful flank movement of the Derbys showed how cool was his direction of the fight.

GALLANT BEHAVIOUR OF THE DERBYS DURING COLONEL KEKEWICH'S MAGNIFICENT FIGHT NEAR SELOUS RIVER.



The King has just conferred the Victoria Cross on two officers and one non-commissioned officer for conspicuous bravery in South Africa. These were Lieutenant F. W. Bell, of the West Australian Mounted Infantry; Lieutenant W. J. English, of the 2nd Scottish Horse; and Farrier-Major W. J. Hardham, of the 4th New Zealand Contingent. Lieutenant Bell was present at the engagement at Brakpan on May 16 of the present year, and as he was retiring under a heavy fire after holding the right flank of the position, he noticed a dismounted man. He at once returned and took the man up behind him on his own horse. The animal, however, fell with them. Lieutenant Bell remained behind, and covered his comrade's retirement. The second recipient of the most coveted honour of the Army, Lieutenant English, was holding

with five men the right of a position at Vlakfontein on July 3, 1901. Two of his men were killed and two wounded, but the position was held, thanks to the Lieutenant's personal gallantry. When the ammunition ran short he went over to the next party and obtained more, although to do so he had to cross some thirty yards of open ground swept with fire from a range of between twenty and thirty yards. Farrier-Major W. J. Hardham, 4th New Zealand Contingent, was with an extended section which was hotly engaged by a party of twenty Boers near Naauwpoort on Jan. 28 of this year. The force had begun to retire, when Trooper McCrae was wounded, and his horse killed. Farrier-Major Hardham went, to the man's aid, dismounted, lifted him on his own horse, and ran beside him until he had reached a place of safety.

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"Gloria Tonic" cured Mrs. H. Bester, of Welton, near Daventry, who has suffered for years. Mr. L. Pinkey, 3, Well Lane, Bridlington, a martyr to Rheumatism for 27 years, has been entirely cured through its use. Mr. J. Holden, 28, Angles Road, Streatham, S.W., is an enthusiast over "Gloria Tonic." A neighbour of Mr. Holden, Mr. J. Crampton, 24, Angles Road, Streatham, S.W., says: "I can recommend 'Gloria Tonic' to all who suffer with Rheumatism, as I am thankful to say that your remedy has cured me entirely."

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A Hero's Holocaust.

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IN the early 'eighties when we were stationed in India there was with us a chap named Alcester, who had just got his company. The Hon. Francis Alcester, to give him his full name, was strong-limbed, broad-chested, clean-minded. At sports he had no equal among us, and with the rough health of the early twenties, he was tireless in all that required vigour and endurance.

When Nellie Butler came out from "home," where she had just finished her education and been presented at the first Drawing-Room of the London season, the poor old Colonel, who had not seen her for five years, was all impatience. We all agreed he was "like a hen on a hot griddle" for a fortnight before her arrival. When she did come she was so beautiful that his impatience seemed the natural thing to our souls, which were now responsive to her charm. She was slightly above the average height, with light brown eyes and dark brown hair. She was regular in feature and in form, but her great, nay, her irresistible, charm lay in her gentle manner and sweet voice. We younger ones were madly in love before a week was over. When we prayed at night we made general confessions of the iniquities of our past lives, and resolved to give up all these wildernesses for the future. It must be reckoned up to the credit of her account in heaven that so many men who were none too good became cleaner in their lives for having known her. So much for the young men; and the old ones sighed and wished they had been twenty years younger. And as for Alcester, the "petticoat-frighted," as we called him, worship was written in his eyes as they followed Nellie. I think most of us had proposed within a fortnight, and had been refused—gently and tenderly refused, it is true, but still refused.

None of us ever knew at what date she accepted Alcester, and he was not a chap to give one his confidences on a matter of the kind; but six months after Nellie Butler's arrival in India she put on an engagement-ring of brilliants, and her engagement to Alcester was announced.

All was going as merrily as a marriage-bell, and we were looking forward to a brilliant wedding. So much for human hopes, for just a few days afterwards the tragedy began.

It began with a fever outbreak among the soldiers during the hot season. And while everyone who could was making for the hills, Nellie Butler fell ill with it, and in a day or two was at death's door. Throughout her illness Alcester was like one lost. To begin with, he missed her company, and was restless without her. In addition, he knew that with a girl of Nellie's constitution it was just a toss up whether she recovered or went under. And we could read what the loss would mean to him from the anguish that was in his eyes. But at last the news came that she was out of danger, and happiness came into his face again. When she was convalescent, the doctor ordered her home again. We all knew that the regiment would be ordered home in a few months, and the Colonel was anxious that she should remain in India for that time, and come home with us. But the doctor was imperative, and Alcester added his entreaties, with the result that Nellie went home immediately. Their last words to each other as the steamer moved away were: "Good-bye. Don't forget to write." "No. Don't you," was the reply. And I heard Alcester mutter between his teeth after the receding steamer: "God bless you!"

During the months that followed we heard from home that Nellie was going on all right, "getting as strong as a horse," Alcester said. There were but two months to go, and we were all as jolly as sandboys at the thought of seeing Old England once more. Alcester talked of Nellie all day, and the boys were very good in listening to him. Sometimes one would give him a poke in the ribs and say, "I say, old man, Miss Butler is not my sweetheart"; and he would reply, "Sorry to bore you, but I must talk to somebody about her, since I cannot talk to her herself," and he would go away laughing.

Those who were in India in 1882, and, alas! some who were at home in Old England, will remember the fire that broke out in the barracks at S— towards the end of the year. The following paragraph I cut from the *Bombay Gazette*, and kept as a souvenir of a brave man—

FIRE AT S— BARRACKS. CAPTAIN ALCESTER INJURED.

Just as we go to press we learn that a fierce fire broke out last night in the barracks at S—, where the Greys, commanded by Colonel Butler, are at present stationed. In another column full details will be found. We regret to learn that Captain the Hon. F. Alcester was seriously burnt, especially about the face and hands, in an attempt to rescue the children of one of the regimental sergeants from an upper room of the men's quarters. Captain Alcester, it appears, had brought one child safely to the ground, and was returning for a second time to rescue a little child of about two, when he was overpowered by the smoke, and fell into the burning room. He was with difficulty rescued. The second child was burnt. We are glad to learn that the sad accident to Captain Alcester is not likely to prove fatal, although he is fearfully burnt about the face, but it has caused great grief and sympathy in S—. It will be remembered that Captain Alcester's engagement to Miss Butler was announced some six months ago. He at present lies in the military hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery, and we are sure our readers will join us in this wish. It was a heroic act, and the man who did it is a worthy soldier and a worthy husband for a soldier's daughter.

In the above bald paragraph was recorded the fact that Alcester, within a week or two of home—home and marriage with one of the prettiest girls

in England—had risked his life and happiness to save two little children, the eldest not more than five, who would have been much better in Heaven. I am not cynical—God knows—especially as I hear even now their mother's agonised pleading for a rescuer; but it maddens me when I think of all that Alcester risked and lost; while all that they gained were squalid lives, one as the wife of a labourer, the other as a soldier's wife who was never "on the strength."

They brought him to hospital, poor fellow, and he recovered slowly—very slowly. When the regiment went home he was still too weak to be moved, and the Colonel asked me as the officer with fewest ties at home to remain behind with him and bring him home.

And so the boys went. After about three weeks I was allowed to visit him at intervals, and read Nellie's letters to him. She wrote to him every mail, now that she had learned of his accident—wrote such quaint, delightful little letters, too! He trembled with delight as I read them to him; for they breathed unchanged and unchangeable love. As I read them to him a feeling of loneliness would creep over me that I had no such love in my life. One passage in one of her letters still rings in my ears. It ran: "You are getting better, and will soon be well. So they tell me, my hero. Oh, Frank, darling, you are all the world to me, and how I have missed you, and how I have gone in dread lest I should lose you! but now you will soon be well, and to me nothing else matters."

Nothing else matters; that was her phrase. One day as I left him, the doctor called me into his private room in the hospital, and said: "I think it right to tell you, so that you may warn Captain Alcester's friends, that I consider it probable he will always require to wear a mask. You understand he was horribly burnt, and even when the face is healed he will be awfully disfigured."

"But," I said, "do you mean to say that after some months he will not be sufficiently recovered to allow the mask to be removed?"

"Honestly, that is my opinion," he replied. "But what am I to do; what must be said to the girl he is engaged to?" I asked.

"I wish I had the skill to give him back all he has lost," he replied gently; "if she loves him, she will love him all the better for being a hero. The mask will make no difference. In any case he must only learn the full truth at home, among friends. Be of good courage, my friend; a woman's love knows no selfishness."

And I had no word to say in reply.

And so I brought Alcester home. We arrived about the end of August. God only knows how I dreaded the meeting. When we reached their house, Nellie was waiting, expectant and eager to meet him. As I led him up the steps I saw her lips tremble and a frightened look creep into her eyes as she saw the mask. That was only for a second, but my heart stood still.

Then in an impulse she ran to him crying: "Frank! Frank!"

He clasped her to him with the clasp of a man who has hungered for love, and has at last found the one woman whose love he values.

She led him into the sitting-room, and I chatted with the Colonel in the dining-room. I never thanked God so heartily for anything as that He had enabled her love to see her lover just as he had been.

In a few minutes Nellie rushed into the room white to the lips.

"Oh, father! I cannot!" she cried.

"What, dearest, what?"

"I cannot marry Frank. He took off the mask to let me see. I cannot, I cannot! Oh, God, have you no mercy? And I loved him!"

"For God's sake," I cried, "don't let him hear you!"

"Oh, he knows, he knows. I could not help crying out when I saw him. He knows! I saw it in his eyes. I cannot, I cannot! Go to him, and console him, for I cannot marry him. Oh, God!"

I went to him as she asked me. I found him standing by the mantelpiece holding the mask in his hand. I almost fainted when I saw him. I can't bear to think of it now. I begged him to put on the mask. He did so. And he held out his hand to me.

"Why did you not tell me before?" he said in the saddest voice I have ever heard.

"I did not know," I sobbed.

"Take me away," and that was all he ever said about the matter.

His servant found him dead the next morning with a bullet through his head. When I think of him—the bravest, gentlest man I ever knew, the most faithful, the most steadfast—I could almost curse Nellie Butler.

Yet when I think of that moment when I came to him, my heart softens towards her. And then comes to me the recollection of her, fragile, gentle as a dove, wasting away, in mourning for her lover, and lying in the grave beside him before the year had died. Peace to them both, I say, and God be thanked my life has demanded no such sacrifice; no such sorrow has been mine. Peace to them both!

THE END.

Took Him Down.—"No," he said: "I'm not sure whether my wife's birthday-gift to me was meant to please me or to humble my pride." "What did she give you?" asked his friend. "She had a crayon portrait of me made by an amateur artist."

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Rosalind's Fashions.

THE ever useful blouse may be done up and redone up—that is, if the stuff wears well—and this year tartan promises to be the fashionable material for trimming. I saw a pretty bodice the other day made up in white satin and inch-wide bands of Victoria tartan crossing each other diagonally all over. The yoke of white and gold embroidery was daintily edged with Irish point, and the whole finished with a twisted belt of galon, giving it the last touch of brightness. A flannel blouse might be made up of any other tartan in which blue predominates. This might have lacings of blue ribbon and velvet, with silver tags at wrist and vest. A V-shaped tucked chemise of white chiffon over satin smartens it up, and if a collar of real lace is worn, makes it a most select garment, the lace being repeated at the cuffs.



SMART OUTDOOR COSTUME.

The Smart Outdoor Costume depicted is made with a novel coat, cut very low in front, and opened to show a cross-over piece of any fancy material. This coat has a roll collar over a simulated vest of braided material. It is double-breasted in front, and the slight fullness gathered into a waistband. The sleeve has the cuff turned up and trimmed with braided material, the long narrow cuff coming from elbow to wrist also braided. The skirt flows well out towards the feet, the hem trimmed with stitched bands braided.

For Girls' Frocks a blouse-bodice is always stylish, as girls, as a rule, have so little shape. The subject of my sketch is suitable for a girl from fourteen to sixteen years. The skirt is flounced and trimmed with broad bands of tartan. The yoke is composed of white satin, tucked or trimmed with narrow black velvet ribbon, which is repeated on the collar. In making up this dress, the skirt must be lined with linenette, the flounce also lined and faced up two inches at the lower edge. As the skirt fastens at side, the back is made plain. The tartan for trimming must be cut bias. If so, a plain, tight-fitting lining fastening up the front is all that is required. Line the tartan bands with leno, machine-stitch and then slip-stitch upon the bodice as shown in illustration. Gather the sleeves at shoulder and wrist, and trim the wristband with tartan like the other part.



GIRL'S PRETTY FROCK.

Sleeves are gradually changing from the long narrow sleeve, which we have had for so long and grown to like so much. Now we have the flowing elbow-sleeve, worn with under-sleeves. This at first was decidedly novel, but the effect was not always pleasing. Then we have the lining of the sleeves with a contrasting colour. Sometimes the sleeve proper only comes as far as the elbow, where it is trimmed with little frills or braiding or stitching. Below that, too, sometimes there is another tight-fitting sleeve which is never than the puffed under part; but in almost every case the wrist is confined into a wristband.

Millinery promises to be a velvet and feather season. Many beautiful toques are made up with merely a loose



A FASHIONABLE BONNET.

lying towards the front, the ends of the feathers being hidden by two small buckles.

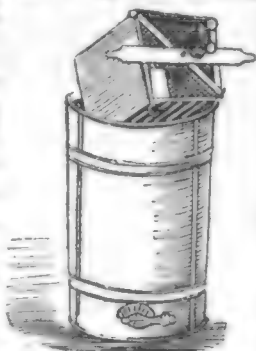
Black will be as much worn as ever this winter, but in many cases black is merely the foundation, and somewhere or other a touch of colour transforms the dress into something very smart. Black-and-white will also continue to be fashionable, and this may be said to be the favourite of all combinations. For colours, the pastel shades are the favourite. Brown seems to be the prevailing colour, and in some of the fashionable windows in the West End, the shades of brown are so artistically arranged that one could not but admire it, especially as these pastel shades are the softest and prettiest to be found.

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A BUFF WYANDOTTE.

hackle, striped with black, back quite silvery white, tail black, breast laced white and black. The hen has a silver-grey hackle striped with black, tail black, rest of plumage

laced black and white. The colour of the golden-laced is richer and more striking in appearance. Whites, buffs, and blacks are all solid in colour.

On Perennial Sunflowers.

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Making Mushroom-Beds.

It is a good time to make up mushroom-beds now. Collect a good quantity, say two cartloads, of fresh stable-manure, shake out the long straw, and let that dry. Then turn all the short manure into a heap, and well shake it to pieces in so doing. Let it lie for a week, then turn and mix it again, adding to it, if dryish, some water. Give one other turning a week later, and when the heap is just warm make up the bed outdoors in the form of a ridge 2 1/2 ft. wide at bottom, 2 1/2 ft. high, well beaten down and solid. If in an outhouse or cellar, let it be solid, too, and 15 in. thick, made flatwise. When it has become warm, spawn it with good cake; one broken into six or eight pieces should spawn one square yard. Water the bed with tepid water, then coat it over with nice sweet loam 1 in. thick. Pat it well down all over, then cover up with the long, dry litter previously shaken out.

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SOLUTION OF PROBLEM No. 305.

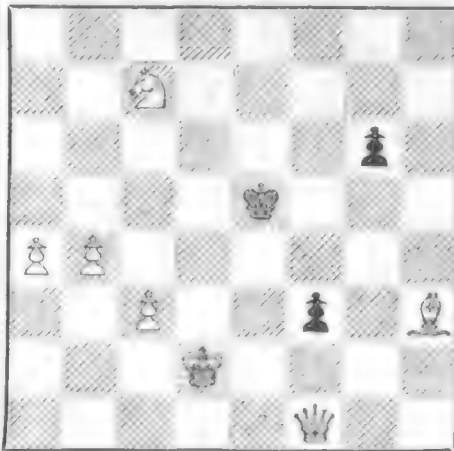
1. R to B 3rd K takes R 2. Q takes Q P Mate.
1. " " P to Q 5th 2. Q to B 5th " etc.
1. " " Kt takes R 2. Q to Kt 1st " etc.

PROBLEM No. 306.

MOTTO: "QUID EST MEI CONSILII?"

(From the Problem Tournament of the Wiener Schachzeitung.)

BLACK (Three Pieces).



WHITE (Seven Pieces).

White to play, and mate in three moves.

THE CHESS SEASON.

From all quarters come reports which promise an active season. Blackburn and Teichmann are busy playing in Scotland. Lasker has resumed lecturing at the North Manchester Chess Club, while Gunsberg and Van Vliet are giving lectures at London clubs and playing simultaneous games. The county associations have all started their competitions, and the London Chess League has attracted a large number of further entries for the "A" Division. We can also look forward to several interesting international events. The tournament at Monte Carlo will begin in January and the competition will probably be stronger and more richly endowed than the last one. There is also a prospect of a match between Lasker and Pillsbury. We append a game from one of the simultaneous exhibitions—

One of the twenty-one games played simultaneously by Mr. GUNSBURG at Reading last week.

- WHITE (I. Gunsberg). BLACK (F. C. Birch).
1. P to K 4th P to K 4th
2. P to K 4th P takes P
3. Kt to K B 3rd P to K Kt 4th
4. P to K 4th P to K 4th
5. Kt to K 4th P to K B 3rd
6. Kt takes B P K takes Kt
7. P to Q 4th P to Q 4th
8. B takes P K to K B 3rd
9. Kt to Q B 3rd P takes P
10. B to B 4 (ch) K to Kt 2nd
- WHITE (I. Gunsberg). BLACK (F. C. Birch).
11. Q to Q 2nd B to Q 3rd
12. Castles (K R) B takes B
13. B takes B Kt to Q B 3rd
14. P to Q 5th Kt to K 4th
15. Q to Q 4th Kt takes B
16. Kt takes P P to Q B 4th
17. Q to B 3rd B to B 1st
18. Kt takes Kt K to Kt 3rd
White announced mate in three moves.

DRAUGHTS.

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SOLUTION OF PROBLEM No. 357.—By J. ADAMS.

Black: 12, 14, 18, 22, 23, 24K.

White: 9, 10, 11, 16, 19, 28.

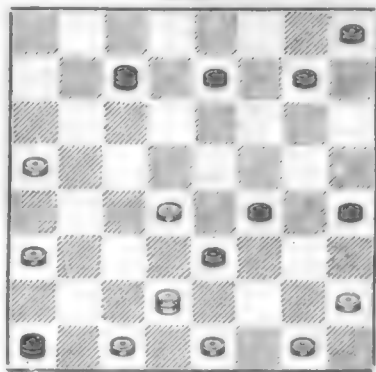
White to move, and win.

9-6	8-15	1-19	23-16	19-27
24-8	6-1	18-22	24-20	W. wins.
16-11	15-6	28-24	26-30	

PROBLEM No. 358.

By A. FAYNE (South Hampstead).

BLACK.



WHITE.

White to move, and win.

GAME No. 309.

Played by correspondence between F. C. SPRATT (Camden Town) and J. E. JONES (Aberystwyth).

"Double Corner." *

9-14	10-19	4-8	3-7	12-16
22-18	24-15	28-24	24-20	14-6
5-9	7-10	6-9	7-11	23-26
25-22	27-24	31-26	24-17	30-23
11-16	10-19	14-18	6-10	12-16
29-25	24-15	26-22	15-6	18-15
8-11	9-13	18-23	1-10	11-25
18-15	23-19	22-18	19-15	20-4
11-18	16-23	2-6	10-19	
23-15	26-19	25-22	17-14	Drawn.

(a) 21 17, 7-10, 24 20, 8-11, 15 8, 10-14 draws.
F. C. Spratt played Black.—J. E. J.

Rebecca: "How shall I have my ball-dress made, Isaac?" Isaac: "Vy, low neck, oh! gourse. Mit your figure id safes material."

His Defence.—She: "I am afraid you are somewhat insincere. I heard you ask Miss Jones to sing something else, and I happen to know that you don't admire her voice." He: "Well, I knew we had only a choice between something else and the same thing over again."

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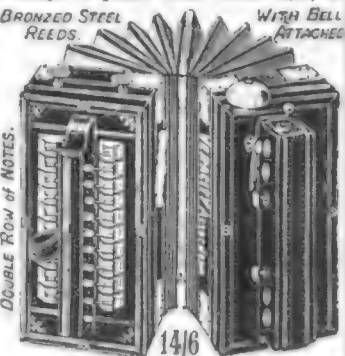
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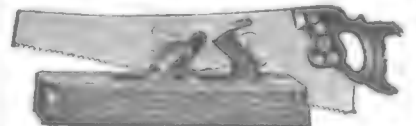
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THE WORLD OF WOMEN.

I HAVE had many letters on the subject of vaccination lately. Do I think it is wise, or the reverse, to have children vaccinated? Wise, most certainly. In a few cases children are made ill by it, but that fact proves that either their blood is in an unhealthy state or that the vaccine was not quite pure. But bad results almost invariably arise from impure blood, and, in that case, the child is nearly certain to catch some infectious malady sooner or later. It was

The Greatest Mistake Ever Made by the Government to alter the law making vaccination compulsory. Compulsory, also, should



EVENING GOWN OF WHITE CHIFFON AND SEQUINED NET.

be the cremation of those who die of smallpox, or any malady which can be caught by contact. The danger from dead bodies is enormous, but, unfortunately, the survivors do not recognise the fact. It seems to me to be little short of madness for Poor Law Guardians and others to speak against vaccination as they are doing just now. Have they forgotten the fate that befell the city of Gloucester a few years ago? There was a craze then against vaccination, and when smallpox broke out hundreds died. God grant that the same thing may not happen in London! I have now told my readers what I think, and they must judge for themselves.

As far as I can determine from the models that I have seen in the show-rooms of the leading drapers, it will be quite safe for my friends to have their new out-of-door frocks for late autumn and winter wear made a reasonable

length instead of trailing about the feet, as they have been during the summer. In the fashion-plates I am bound to say, however, that the long skirt is still seen; but that is, I think, because it looks so much better in an illustration than the short one; but at present the shorter style seems to be in favour. Far be it from me to say that it will remain so. The fashion will be very welcome.

To Those Who Make Their Dresses at home, for it is rather less difficult to cut the short skirt properly than the long one, and patterns can be bought at Butterick's or elsewhere at a very moderate price. Embroidered skirts, with bodice piece, can now be bought reasonably; the material in light cloth—light in weight, that is—and brown, with black embroidery, or in a lighter shade of brown, looks very well indeed.

A Flat Wide Toque, without upstanding trimming, is just now in vogue; but again I do not like to say positively that the shape will last in favour more than a few weeks; so be careful not to provide your headgear for the coming season too soon. The sleeves, tight at the top, but pulling out at the bottom, are still in favour; this fact must be kept in mind when the

New Jacket for Winter Wear is being chosen; for if the jacket or coat sleeves are not wide, it is impossible to get them on over the puffed sleeve of the dress. I notice that the sleeves of the handsome and expensive coats and jackets have very prettily cut wide sleeves, while those which are cheap have the tight and not by any means elegant sleeves. It is no longer the mode to have a puff of lace or silk at the bottom of a sleeve which is made of woollen material. The puff should match the dress in colour, but it should be made of dull satin if the dress material does not seem suitable, and the bag or puff is tucked or corded or drawn in gathers; it is very rarely left plain. I may mention that a dress with one of

The New Short Skirts can be made easily out of five yards of material if the latter is fifty-two inches in width. For a tall woman with a full figure more material will, of course, be required, but for a very short and slim figure four and three-quarters ought to be quite enough. With a cloth or a frieze dress the toque should have a velvet brim, and a cloth top the colour of the dress.

Girls Who Make Their Own Toques should study the way in which these cloth crowns are arranged from the models in the shop-windows, and then copy them. Some of them, I notice, are drawn up in the centre, and held by an ornamental button or buckle. From the centre the cloth should fall in graceful folds. A girl of taste can make very pretty combinations in the draping or arranging of these crowns. Blouses are still worn to match or harmonise with the skirts in colour. Contrasts are not good style.

My Fashion Illustration is interesting, as showing the novel evening style that, if the dress-makers are to be trusted, will carry all before it this year. The gown has a bolero-trimming of white chiffon on a Princess robe of the same material, overhung. In a fashion that has a hint of the Empire style, by long panels of sequined net, which are caught together with diamond buttons. The ornaments in the hair and on the neck are jet.

Lady Constance Mackenzie, who won the Ladies' Challenge Shield at the Bath Club this season, is an enthusiastic angler and swimmer. She is much more devoted to swimming than to society, in which, however, she occasionally appears under the protection of her aunt, the Duchess of Sutherland. Lady Constance, who is not yet twenty summers, is very wealthy, and proud of her connection with the great clan Mackenzie, whose tartan she wore on her swimming-costume in the race for the championship at the Bath Club. A very rare and beautiful swimming-dress which she often wears is composed of glittering scales, which

have a wonderful effect when in the water, and make her look a veritable mermaid, an illusion which her graceful ease in the water fosters. Lady Constance has only one sister, the Countess of Cromartie, who married Major Blunt. She is related to a number of notable people, and has a host of friends, among whom are the Duke and



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LADY CONSTANCE MACKENZIE,
WHO WON THE LADIES' CHALLENGE SHIELD
AT THE BATH CLUB.

Duchess of Argyll, the former being in some degree, her guardian.

I am again indebted to Winifred E. Heard, who favours me with some beautiful verses on the parting summer—

Memories of Harvest Home.

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The hollyhocks are standing against the ivied wall,
Where all day long the voices of merry children call
To the music of the pine-trees, that now wave dark and high,
In solemn grandeur, seeming to reach the moonlit sky:
Guarding the shadowy homestead so full of joy to-night,
So gay with youth's glad laughter, with glowing blossoms bright.

Here cheerful old age lending its charm, here rich and poor
Mingle so free together amid the golden store
The summer days have left us; here gaily float around
The old and young together to violin's sweet sound,
Or by the wide fire gather to watch the brown nuts burn,
Who seek to know the future, if joy or pain, to learn.

Now through dim-lighted alleys still sweet with fading flowers,
Through maze of box and laurel agleam with autumn showers,
The merry crowd are passing through sweet blackberry brake,
By bridge, where shadows cover the lawn and lily-lake,
All homeward, glad with laughter 'neath birch and rowan's glow,
With shining moonlight streaming on hill and valley low.

A correspondent writes from Ireland to ask me to tell her what is the best black dye to use for dyeing a man's woollen garments, coat, vest, etc. I am sorry that I do not know of any preparation for the dyeing of such large articles as coats, vests, etc., by an amateur in the art, at home; and I strongly recommend my correspondent, even if she had the dye at hand, not to undertake such a troublesome task. The chances are ten to one against her success, as dyeing, especially of made-up garments, should be undertaken by

A Professional Dyer.

The articles should be sent to Pullar and Sons, dyers and cleaners, Perth, or to Whiteley, Limited, Westbourne Grove, London; but surely there are good dyers in Dublin to whom my correspondent could send the garments in question. I most strongly recommend her not to undertake the business herself. Amateur dyeing, except perhaps that of very small articles, cannot be accomplished with success at home. Another correspondent tells me that she has been ordered to walk four miles a day at the very least, and as she is, when she comes home after such exercise, "almost too tired to stand or even sit," she wonders if such long walks really agree with her. I should say most certainly not. She



AT WORK.

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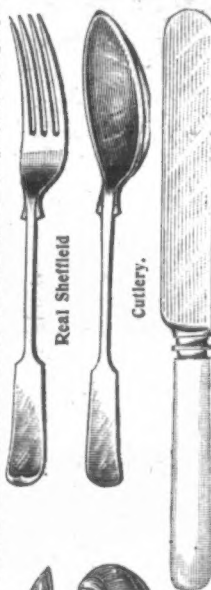


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THE RACING WORLD.

TWO months ago the Cesarewitch might have been counted a very open race. The entry had been exceptionally large, the acceptance subsequently was most satisfactory, and the many who believed that we were developing more and better stayers were jubilant. Affairs have shaped themselves on very different lines. Not only the outsiders, who might do the bookmakers good, but the unbacked ones of the fairly fancied division, have gone out. And though one or two of the "hot" goods are *hors de combat*, the maker of a book has nowise pleasant reading when he scans his volume.

Duke of York Stakes

Revenue was counted a great danger in the Cesarewitch, and for that matter, the Cambridgeshire, or any other race for which he might be started.

Revenue

won the Duke of York Stakes with ridiculous ease, and though his success entailed a burden of ten pounds for future engagements, the extra would not stall off those who fancied him "with a run." While Mr. Gubbins's horse was an element of uncertainty, the situation was rendered more doubtful because Santol might at the last moment be pulled out. With these two racing, the problem for backers would be rendered far more difficult—and either might win.

I have said enough to show what an interesting race

The Cesarewitch

was. We had strong favourites, a well-backed second rank, more than usually strongly fancied outsiders, and good going for the starters to battle on. Before the day, fear was that the turf might be sudden and heavy, but on Tuesday that chance was made quite remote. So the B.P. who go on public form had what you may call a fair course before them.

Harking back to last week's running and the two disturbing elements calculated to upset the market, Santol, on his Kempton Park Stakes trial, must be dangerous. Revenue was, as I said, an awkward customer for the best to meet on handicap terms.

Santol's was a Fine Display

at Kempton, where, with a good deal of the worst of the luck, he almost caught Epsom Lad. Mr. Kincaid, the latter's owner, fairly hit his rival owner when, a match being proposed, he offered to run for the two horses—i.e., the loser to become the property of the winner's owner. Personally, I fancy that if such a deal did come off,

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would be short of a tenant after the winner passed the post. Epsom Lad beat Santol on his merits at least, this is my opinion. Still, though Santol was beaten, that he might have won the Cesarewitch, if started, was a general opinion. Like idea was suggested by Revenue's very easy victory in the Duke of York Stakes. Mr. Gubbins had only to say "go" to make his three-year-old third or fourth favourite.

As it was, the problem was a very difficult one on

Wednesday, for there were in the band (so much smaller than had been expected) so many well fancied.

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was a certainty now and then for weeks. Gyp might not lose, and Maudslayi's defeat might be reckoned an impossibility. Lady Penance was sure to beat Rambling Katie, and the latter on her latest gallops was quite the pick of the handicap.

Hermine, said to be in his Ascot Stakes winning form, had a ridiculously light weight. Brissac was walking over, according to the street-corner quidnuncs; and though the field had shrunk, tips were plentiful when the band assembled down on the Beacon course, right away out of sight of the Stand, at the end of the Rowley mile, except to those who know how to place themselves.

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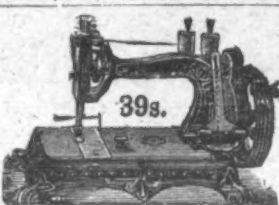
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